State/UT	*Position of SC*	*No. of Districts*	*No. of DFs*
1	2	3	4
Rajasthan	F	30	30 F
Sikkim	N	4	4 N
Tamil Nadu	F	21	21 F
Tripura	F	3	3 F
Uttar Pradesh	F	63	63F
West Bengal	F	17	3 F 14 N
Andaman & Nicobar	F	2	2 F
Chandigarh (UT)	F	1	1 F
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	F	1	1 F
Delhi	F	1	1 F 1 N
Daman & Diu	F	2	2 F
Lakshadweep	F	1	1 F
Pondicherry	F	1	1 F

SC : State Commission
DF : District Forum
F : Functioning
N : Notified

Technology Transfer Agreements

2106. SHRI PRITHVIRAJ D. CHAVAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether a number of technologies and processes have been licensed to Indian Industries by the Department of Space;

(b) the total number of technology trans-

fer agreements signed with the India industry during each of the last three years;

(c) the annual value of production as a result of these technologies in the industry;

(d) whether the Department of Space have any monitoring system to ascertain the annual value of production as a result of these technologies to judge the success of the technology; and

(e) if so, the detailsd thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS (SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The total number of technology transfer agreements signed with the Indian industries in each of the last three years are as follows:

1988	:	22
1989	:	30
1990	:	11
Till October 1991	:	12

(c) The annual value of productions a result of technologies transferred so far, during the last three years, is as under:

1988	:	Rs. 345.44 Lakhs
1989	:	Rs. 663.02 Lakhs
1990	:	Rs. 481.00 Lakhs
Till June 1991	:	Rs. 164.60 Lakhs

(d) Yes, Sir.

(e) The Department of Space/Indian Space Research Organisation has established a detailed monitoring mechanism to ensure the production activities in the industries based on the technologies transferred to them.

This includes:

Periodical visits by the design and quality assurance terms from DOS/ ISRO to industry to assess the technical/Production problems, if any, to ensure adoption of adequate quality control procedures during the production and to check the performance of the products/process on a sample basis.

Periodic reports from the industry as outline in the technology transfer agreement, on the quarterly production and sale figures, royalties due etc., and

Inputs from the User agencies/markets about the availability and quality of the product from the industry.

Security Arrangements at Thumba Rocket Launching Station

2107. PROF. K.V. THOMAS: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether the security arrangements at Thumba Rocket Launching Station in Kerala are inadequate; and

(b) if so, the steps taken to revamp the security arrangements at the Station?